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PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 03495.0194-01

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Penelope MAVROMARA et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1636
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Application No.: 10/664,038	)	Examiner: James S. Ketter
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Filed: September 17, 2003	)	
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For: NUCLEIC ACIDS AND NEW	)	Confirmation No.: 3906
POLYPEPTIDES ASSOCIATED	)	
WITH AND/OR OVERLAPPING	)	
WITH HEPATITIS C VIRUS CORE	)	
GENE PRODUCTS	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO**  
**NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Notice dated April 7, 2006, Applicants submit a supplemental amendment to correct the non-complaint amendment submitted on January 9, 2006, in response to the Office Action mailed September 8, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper, beginning on page 3.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are included in the attached Replacement Sheet Fig. 8. The amendments are discussed in this paper at page 8 and are also illustrated in the attached annotated copy.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper, beginning on page 9.

**Attachments** to this amendment include **Replacement Sheet Fig. 8** and **Annotated Copy showing changes.**